



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Mark Strayer, et al.	§	Docket No.:	18412.84
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Serial No.:	10/683,765	§	Examiner:	To Be Determined
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Filing Date:	October 10, 2003	§	Art Unit:	2836
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Entitled:	Power Harness Having Multiple	§		
	Upstream USB Ports	§		

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, and in accordance with the practice under 37 CFR §1.97 and §1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed modified Form PTO-1449. No inference should be made that the cited reference is in fact material, is in fact prior art, or that no better art exists.


The above-identified application was filed after June 30, 2003. Pursuant to the waiver of the requirement under 37 CFR 1.98 (a)(2)(i) as stated in a Pre-OG Notice dated July 11, 2003, a copy of the reference is not being provided.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the United States filing date or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits. No certification or fee is required (37 CFR §1.97(b)).

Applicants believe no fee is due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency fees or credit any overpayments associated with this communication to Deposit Account 08-1394 of Haynes and Boone, LLP.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Respectfully submitted,

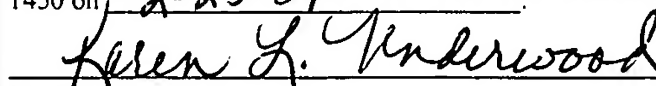

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